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FOR: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR GLUCOSE CONCENTRATION
MEASUREMENT WITH SPECIAL ATTENTION TO BLOOD GLUCOSE
DETERMINATIONS



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RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT RESPONSE

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In response to the restriction requirement dated March 21, 2000, the applicant elects
Embodiment I, represented by Fig. 9.

The examiner refers to Fig. 9, whereas the application includes Fig. 9A and Fig. 9B. The
applicant understands the examiner to mean that Fig. 9A and Fig. 9B represent the same patently
distinct species of the claimed invention.

The applicant hereby identifies the species of all of the drawings except prior art Fig. 1